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RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (37 CFR 1.121)

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (37 CFR 1.121) dated 23 January 2008 that indicated the amendment to the claims, item 4.E., was non-compliant. In the enclosed revised document the identifiers have been corrected to (New) for claims 44-79. Those claims were incorrectly identified as (Proposed new claim) in the Amendment document dated 15 November 2007. Please substitute the corrected claims section to the 15 November 2007 Amendment document. Thank you for your assistance with this matter.

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